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In comic art there is no more potent character than the familiar and extraordinary figure of our honored "Uncle Sam." Every American acknowledges kinship with him, but few know how he came into existence. Even some of the artists who have depicted him year after year, in his different moods and attitudes, know nothing of his origin. After making many interrogatories in regard to him, and considerable research into his genealogy, I learned that an English carjcaturist created him in derision, long ago. The intent was to embody all the ignorance, egotism, crudeness, pretention and assertiveness of the saucy young country in the quaint figure of the old Yankee. But there was a dignity in the tall, angular, self-satisfied old man which his creator neither meant nor saw. The people of the new country saw it, however, and took him to their hearts. They adopted the idea of the beneficent uncle, and put it into song and story. Then they accepted him as he was portrayed, thin and elongated, long-haired, hatchet-faced, and wearing raiment the like of which never was seen on land or sea—striped pantaloons of an economical cut, a swallow-tailed coat of most antiquated design, a high hat that is a challenge to all modern headwear, and a vest gaudier than a tropical bird. This became the familiar figure which, in comic art, represented our beloved country. The idea took definite form; it became fixed in our fancy; it was a creation destined to live and to grow. Uncle Sam became a fact, a reality, a part of ourselves and our history.

He was first made familiar to his people in Yankee Notions, a comic paper that flourished more than a quarter of a century ago, but has long since climbed the golden stair. Nast was the first artist to lift our revered uncle out of ridicule and contempt, endow him with proper dignity and make him a distinctive and honored character, though he claims no credit for it. He says he remembers him as far back as he can remember anything in the way of pictures. The other artists assert that Nast has made him what he is—a kind, wise, courageous, quick-witted, sunny-spirited, dignified, lovable old man, keenly alive to everything affecting the interests of his people; in short, a gentleman.

One of the whims of caricature is to make Uncle Sam fat and jolly when "times are good," and thin and sad when finances languish. Keppler, of Puck, first made him fat in the prosperous days of '79. One of Nast's hits was giving him a swollen silver leg and one good solid gold leg during the monetary conference in France and the mining excitement in the west, some years ago. The silver leg was gouty, and could only be moved by means of straps and pulleys. It tied him to the chair and made an invalid of him, of course. It was Nast, too, who represented him as an eagle.

It is interesting to see how the character of "Uncle Sam" has developed with the character of his people. One realizes this by comparing some of the old portraits of him with the more modern. In Nast's allegorical sketches we have seen him in all the phases of his strong, spirited and noble character. He has wept with Columbia over the bier of heroes; he has held fast to the old flag when it was riddled with shot and shell; he has turned his gray head aside in humiliation when public trusts were betrayed and honors abused; he has mourned over his slain sons as they lay in the valleys, on the hills, and by the rivers of the south. His keen wit has mercilessly punctured shams and his big heart swelled with sympathy when the children of his adoption suffered. Dear, quaint, grand, old Uncle Sam, may his kind and rugged face ever beam upon us in love and good will. When he smiles his people rejoice; when he weeps or frowns they are sorrowful or wayward.

An eccentric person is our dear old uncle, surely. Though he mixes much with statesmen and is an honored figure in councils of the great, he cares more for the society of his old pet eagle than for all the fine people of the earth. And his flag! Nothing under the sun is so sacred to him as that. With what pride he uplifts it. How bravely he stands by it. What sublime faith he has in it. The Fourth of July is the greatest day of the year to him. On that day, 1776, he was born. He was the babe for whom the bells were rung; he was the hope of the men who met and voted for independence; he was the first free born American child and he has fulfilled the hopes of the people

who rejoiced over his birth. To-day he is godfather to the greatest nation on the face of the earth. "Stand clear there, all airth and ocean!" he says, "my hands are free now and I'm goin' to hyst a flag so big that it'll cover most o' the land and a good bit of the sea!"

And he has something to say to his children on his noisy birthday. He would tell them that unless they are just to each other they cannot continue to prosper. He will tell them that when they defraud or oppress each other they are vexing his spirit and bringing themselves to grief. He will urge the strong to be less selfish and inspire the weak with hope. He will teach them anew the definition of freedom, the same as Christ taught when he said, "The truth shall make you free." GERTRUDE GARRISON.

The distinctive feature of true patriotism is that it is pledged to the idea which one's country represents. It does not accept and glory in its country merely for what it is at present and has been in the past, but for what it may be.

THE MEN WHO WON OUR INDEPENDENCE.

O, few and weak their number were,
A handful of brave men;
But to their God they gave their prayer,
And rushed to battle then.
They left the plowshare in the mold,
Their flocks and herds without a fold,
The sickle in the unshorn grain,
The corn half garner'd on the plain,
And muster'd in their simple dress
For wrongs to seek a stern redress—
To right these wrongs, come weal, come woe,
To perish or o'ercome the foe.
M'TAGGART.

PATRIOTS OF THE BIBLE.

Some of the Splendid Examples of Patriotism in the Scriptures.

The prime instructions of the Old Testament are patriotism and the fear of God. They are blended in the heart of Moses. In the wilderness he bore the Hebrew people in his heart. Religious patriotism stimulated his genius, supported him in his perplexities, and made the desert green. When at last he stood upon Mount Pizgah and looked upon that rich landscape of Palestine, which his sand-stained feet must not press, its loveliness wore a tinge of beauty which the sunbeams could not shed, from the thought that there the ignorant people for whom he had toiled should have a home and begin their mysterious mission among the nations of the earth.

The story of Samuel, whose heart, will, prayers, wisdom and virtue were for his countrymen, is a lesson of patriotism. Pointing to that name, the Jew may now dispute with us against the career of Washington for the honor of giving to the race the model patriot.

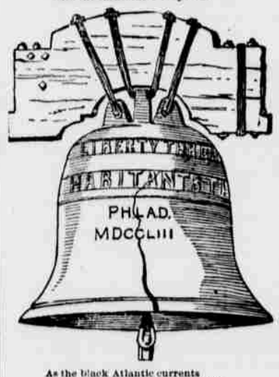
When we pronounce the name of David we think of the enthusiasm that wielded the hero's sword and touched the poet's harp for the glory of his nation. Nobler than his military valor was the ambition that urged him to rouse the dormant genius of his land and to enshrine and celebrate its hallowed memories in odes and jubilant hymns. From his heart burst the gush of feeling which the Christian church now uses as the expression of a spiritual patriotism: "Pray for the peace of Jerusalem; they shall prosper that love thee. Peace be within thy walls, and prosperity within thy palaces. For my brethren and companions' sakes, I will now say, 'Peace be within thee.'" And it is in the Psalms that we read the touching lament, as from the heart of patriotism itself: "How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land? If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning. Let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth, if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joy."

Do we not read that even he whose love embraced the whole race in its scope, the eternal and impartial love made flesh, who pronounced the parable of the Good Samaritan, and shed the warmth of that spirit through his life into the frosty air of human sentiment, felt more keenly the all-nation of his countrymen according to the flesh than he felt the spear point and the nails, and paused over the beautiful city of David to utter a lament whose burden swept away the prospect of his own lowering destiny. "O, Jerusalem, Jerusalem, how often would I have gathered your children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not! Behold your house is left unto you desolate." Behold the patriotism of Paul. His countrymen denounced him. They said that he had cut the ties which bound him to his race, because he preached that Moses was not the highest and final religious teacher. He slighted the temple worship and labored zealously for the new sect of Nazarenes, and the Jews, wherever he traveled, echoed the cry of the priestly party in Jerusalem, that he was a traitor to the traditions of his fathers and an enemy of the Hebrews. But the noblest patriotic spirit was in him. In that respect he may be safely copied by those who love their country in every age. He saw what was the mission of the Hebrew race. He was so loyal to his people that he braved their ignorance and bigotry in order to secure the fulfillment of the national calling, and so attached to his blood and race as to feel keenly his isolation from their sympathy, and to be willing to sacrifice himself—everything but his country's mission—even to be "accursed from Christ for his brethren, his kinsmen, according to the flesh." T. S. K.

HOW THE BELL RANG.

JULY 4, 1776.

There was tumult in the city,
In the quaint old Quaker town,
And the streets were black with people,
Pacing restless up and down;
People gathering in corners,
Where they whispered each to each,
And the sweat stood on their temples
With the earnestness of speech.



As the black Atlantic currents
Lash the wild New England shore,
So they beat against the state house,
So they surged against its door;
And the mingling of their voices
Made a harmony profound,
Till the quiet street of Chestnut
Was all turbulent with sound.

"Will they do it?" "Dare they do it?"
"Who is speaking?" "What's the news?"
"What of Adams?" "What of Carroll?"
"Oh, God grant they won't refuse."
"Make some way there!" "Let me nearer!"
"I am sitting." "Stifle them!
When a nation's life's at hazard
We've no time to think of men!"

So they beat against the portal,
Man and woman, maid and child;
And the July sun in heaven
On the crowd looked down and smiled.
The same sun that saw the Spartan
Shed his patriot blood in vain,
Now beheld the Soul of Freedom
All unconquered rise again.

So they beat against the portal,
While all solemnly inside
The delegates to congress,
With but reason for their guide,
O'er a simple scroll debated,
Which, though simple it might be,
Could shake the cliffs of England
With the thunders of the free.

At the portal of the state house,
Like some beacon in a storm,
Round which waves are wildly beating,
Stood a slender, boyish form,
With his eyes fixed on the steeple
And his ears agape with greed,
To catch the first announcement
Of the signing of the deed.

Aloft in that high steeple
Sat the bellman, old and gray;
He was sick of British power,
He was sick of British pay;
So he sat with lean hand ready
On the clapper of the bell,
When signaled from the portal,
The happy news to tell.

See! see! the black crowd shivers
Through all its lengthy line,
As the boy upon the portal
Looks up and gives the sign;
And straightway at the signal
The old bellman lifts his hand
And sends the good news making
Iron music through the land.

How they shouted! What rejoicing!
How the old bell shook the air,
Till the clang of Freedom ruffled
The calm gilding Delaware!
How the bonfires and the torches
Illumed the night's repose,
And from the flames, like Phœnix,
Slaughtered Liberty arose!

The old bell now is silent,
And hushed its iron tongue,
But the spirit it awakened
Still lives forever young.
And while we breathe the sunlight
On the Fourth of this July,
Let us not forget the bellman
Who, 'twixt the earth and sky,
Rang out our independence,
Which, please God, shall never die.

This country has an ideal character, a representative value. Its mountains were upheaved, its ruins were grooved, its prairies unrolled, its night skies bent, for the home of an idea. Its glory cannot spring from vast extent, populousness, power and wealth, but from the unquestioned dominion of an idea, the idea of Liberty.

Americans are successors to noble men, heirs of a providential past. Everything in our history incites to patriotism. The winds would fan it into activity. Every page of our annals preaches it. The man who cannot thank God he was born an American is undeserving the blessing of such birth.

THE FOURTH OF JULY AT EAGLESVILLE.

Eaglesville intended to celebrate its Fourth of July in what the committee of arrangements announced in The Weekly Trumpet, as "a fit and appropriate manner." There was to be a procession from the brick church to Thompson's grove, comprising Sunday school scholars in blue sashes, a Goddess of Liberty in an open carriage, young people of both sexes on horseback, dignitaries on wheels, no end of banners, and plenty of drumming and bugling.

At the grove there were to be fine doings. Lawyer Rickard was to read the Declaration of Independence. Three other village notables were to make speeches. To be sure, they would be very long and very dull speeches, but the citizens of Eaglesville were most lenient critics. They took a common pride in knowing that they had three men among them who could stand up before the whole community and say something in fine language, not forgetting their Latin. The town liked the violent style of oratory, and these speakers were especially gifted when it came to making a noise. They made up in bluster and fustian for what they lacked in grace and eloquence, and were always warmly congratulated. They were the sworn foes of the British lion, and when it came to sending the eagle aloft none could surpass them. After the speeches there would be a dinner, a prodigious banquet, at which roast fowl, cake and ice cream would be served in abundance by the prettiest young ladies of the village and vicinity, in white dresses and blue sashes, and lemonade was to flow like water.

In addition to all these excitements a cannon was to be fired at 10 o'clock a. m., fire crackers were to be lavishly resorted to throughout the day, and fireworks were to top off the celebration at night.

The day came, as all set days of the future do, however slowly they travel, and a gorgeous and memorable day it was, in a meteorological as well as celebrious sense. The procession formed promptly at the stated hour and moved off with its banners, its fifes and drums, its beautiful Goddess of Liberty, its dashing young equestrians and sober pedestrians. It was a pity that so fine a pageant should have no spectators to enjoy it. Everybody had contributed to swell its ranks, save a dozen matrons who were already in the grove superintending the dinner, and two or three superannuated old couples who never left their homes. This fact did not prevent the procession from taking pride in itself. It courageously kept the middle of the road, took its own dust and patriotically moved forward to the grove in broiling happiness.

ONE OF THE GIFTED SPEAKERS.

Neither did the fact that there was nobody to keep out of the way, no crowd to keep in order, prevent the gallant marshal, Mark Lyons, from performing the most active duty. He rode rapidly up and down the line, in a plumed hat and red sash, on a charger the best the county could afford. He was a handsome man anywhere; but on a fine horse, in a plumed hat and gay sash, there wasn't his match for manly beauty in Center county. He realized this, and took a keen pleasure in giving the community a chance to admire his fine figure and handsome face. The maidens adored him and the young men envied him.

Yet, while basking in admiration and reveling in self-satisfaction, he was miserable. The "one, one woman under the sun" whose admiring glances he most craved wasn't there to see him in his splendor.

Pretty Kitty McDonald was angry with him, and the Goddess of Liberty was the cause of the trouble. And Kitty had been ill, and was still too feeble to take part in the day's exercises. Mark felt sure she was staying away to rob him of the satisfaction of showing off before her. Thinking it all over, he made up his mind, rather than lose such a chance of impressing her in his capacity of marshal of the day, he would ride around to her house after he got his procession safely into the grove, and try to make his peace with her at all hazards. This decision so inspired him that he fairly worked himself to death, keeping imaginary obstacles out of the line of march, and stirring up no end of honest Center county dust.

Meantime Kitty McDonald, in a pretty white gown, was gently rocking in a big chair on the vine-covered porch of her home at the west end of the village, taking cruel pleasure in the thought that "Mr. Mark Lyons might ride beside the carriage of the Goddess of Liberty all day, if he wanted; he wouldn't have her there to see his scandalous conduct, anyway."

Another person, usually present at all parades and great events in Eaglesville, was also absent. This was Jimmy Carroll, aged 12. Jimmy had resisted all the allurements of the procession and the picnic. His chums were dumbfounded at his indifference to such madly interesting things as a procession and dinner, to say nothing of such joys as abundant firecrackers and unlimited lemonade. Indeed, Jimmy rather curled his lips at the mention of firecrackers, and said things to the effect that they were good enough for children, but for persons of mature mind like himself, bigger noises were necessary to the expression of true love of liberty.

And so the youth from his end of the town set sail early toward the scene of action without him. The wily Jimmy laughed in his sleeve. He had some peculiarly patriotic fish to fry that would beat all the public doings down in the village. Now Jimmy adored Kitty McDonald, whose parents were his mother's nearest and most cordial neighbors, and he was bent on staying at home or near by, and doing certain things he had planned which would be sure to entertain Kitty and impress her with a sense of his brilliancy and bravery. Yes, Jimmy was very deeply in love with Kitty. It was preposterous, of course, for she was a young lady and he was a small boy, but such things are not at all uncommon; and then Jimmy was so large, in his mind, he couldn't realize that others thought him a child. Next in intensity to his love for Kitty came his dislike for Mark Lyons, his apparently successful, full-grown rival. Jimmy envied Mark his 25 years and splendid figure.

But on the morning of the Fourth Jimmy felt sure that by sundown he would be far in advance of Mark Lyons in Kitty's estimation. He had the field all to himself and meant to work it thoroughly, and he did.

Everything was as quiet as Sunday in the west end of Eaglesville. Just what Jimmy wanted. The noises he was about to treat the few remaining citizens to would have so much better effect. He brought from the garret the barrel of an old Revolutionary musket—a precious relic which had lost its stock by having been rudely hurled from the garret window when the house was on fire. He charged this with powder and bound it firmly to a log of wood taken from the family woodpile in the back yard, thus making a cannon of it, and got all ready to touch it off in honor of John Hancock, Mr. Adams and the other pioneers of independence. He kept an eye on Kitty McDonald, rocking softly on her vine-covered porch, occasionally chatted with her across the fence, and

The Columbian.

G. E. Elwell, J. E. Bittenbender., } Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JULY 2, 1886.

Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland has accepted a position as editor of *Literary Life*, a Chicago publication.

At last justice has been done a brave soldier, and a great wrong of long standing has been righted as far as possible by the final passage of the bill to restore Fitz John Porter to the Army, and place him on the retired list at a salary of $3,000 a year. Logan as usual, exhibited his venom in a bitter speech, but the bill was passed by a vote of 30 to 17.

The reckless passing of private pension bills by Congress has been checked by the President, he having vetoed sixty-four of them. Some of them were really meritorious cases, but were vetoed because the claims were already filed in the Pension office and should be allowed to take their regular course.

But, although the President has refused to approve such bills, he has had the moral courage to resist Congress in many cases where pensions have been granted for political effect or from motives of interest in the enactment of pension bills by wholesale, as has been done this session. A great many absurd claims have been pushed through without the slightest ground of justice. As an example, a man received a pension who broke his leg while gathering dandelions. John W. Farris got a pension for sore eyes, which, he asserted, were the result of diarrhœa, and in the veto message the President says that the ingenuity developed in the constant attacks upon the Treasury is exhibited in bold relief by this claim, which all medical men will recognize as absurd.

Too much emphasis cannot be laid upon the fact that young women are careless in contracting marriage engagements. After alluding to the recent betrayal of Paul Weber's niece by a fellow passenger, who had induced her to marry him on the ground that he was a wealthy wine grower of California, and basely deserted her a few days later, and of the recent tragedy at the Sturtevant House the *World* goes on to say:

Marriage seems to a young girl an enchanted land, where love and loyalty shall be hers forever. Alas, how often is the fair dream destroyed by the bitter irony of sad experience! Year after year it becomes more easy for scroundrels to play their matrimonial games. The number of men of character and wealth who pass through life without marriage ties grows larger as time goes on. Luxury and affluence have always been detrimental to the formation of the domestic relationship. Rome illustrated this and several European countries to-day still further prove the proposition. In this country there has been a steady tendency towards celibacy among men of stability and worth. It is strange, then, when opportunities for successful marriages are comparatively so scarce, that credulous girls give ready ear to the smooth flatterers who wear pretty whiskers and who tell of their palaces on Lake Como, of the alabaster lamps, the slaves and horses and the regal luxury? It is all very well for ministers to preach, warning the maidens of our land against the dangers which surround them, but let it be remembered that, as the Spanish say, "An ounce of mother is worth a pound of clergy." A large percentage of unfortunate marriages might be prevented if parents exercised the care they should.

Beware of the man, dear, confiding girls, who talks too much of his wealth, whose vineyards are in some distant corner of the earth, who smiles and smiles and is a stranger still. The wisdom of old age should not be deceived even where the heat of youth is blind. To paraphrase Tennyson a little, "Parents, guard your own."

Postmaster General Vilas removed twenty-nine postal clerks last week on the charge of conspiring to obstruct the transmission of the mails in the railway service.

The Postmaster General in explanation of the causes which resulted in this action, in an interview said: "Several weeks ago information was received by the Department that the few postal clerks who were conscious that there were reasons for their removal from service were endeavoring to enlist the co-operation of the postal clerks generally in an association to be formed for the purpose of interposing their opinion on questions of removals by threatening to strike or combined resignations of many clerks at one time, so as to menace the department with embarrassment. The attempt to enlist a general co-operation failed, the greater number of postal clerks who were approached on the subject refusing to entertain it.

"It was the plan of the originators after the initiation of a member, during which he was bound by an oath to secrecy and obedience, to secure his resignation in a blank and to have all the resignations in the hands of the Executive Committee to be filed simultaneously, and to require clerks who were members of the association to abandon their runs at a time to be fixed. Their object was to maintain their own positions and tenure of office. The department has waited until the ring leaders and executive officers were certainly known, and those removed embrace all those who have been especially active. In point of fact, continued the Postmaster General, the scheme never received general favor, and the department is not desirous of punishing, by removal, those who have been cheated into a nominal co operation, but does not wait for resignations from any who have been active in the enterprise. It is a curious commentary on the folly of men," said the speaker, "that upon examining the files in the case of the men who are removed by this order it appears that very many of them have been complained against for some reason, and their removal sought before, but the department had refused to make the removals and the entry had been made in their cases, for their retention in their positions would have been quite secure had they not forfeited it by insubordination. The headquarters of the movement has been in Indianapolis. Some little effort was made to organize at Chicago and other places, but with no success. I do not anticipate the least trouble or inconvenience to the business interests," concluded the Postmaster General, "in consequence of these removals."

DEADLY PARALLEL COLUMNS.

The COLUMBIAN of Nov. 27, 1885 said:

"The milk in the cocoanut is that Mr. Krickbaum wanted to be made commissioner's clerk and failed, hence his attacks on John B. Casey, his successful competitor."

Below is reproduced what the *Sentinel* has said in regard to Mr. Krickbaum's candidacy for the clerkship. We put them alongside of each other so that they may be easily compared.

Sentinel, Dec. 4, 1885

The COLUMBIAN of last week in making personal mention of men ought to tell the truth or come something near it at least. That part of its article coupling the name of the proprietor of this paper with that of Casey's, *in connection with the commissioner's clerkship* is entirely untrue, and not only so, but it appears to him [the proprietor of the *Sentinel*] maliciously false.

Sentinel, June 25, 1886.

Previous to this conversation [with Pohe subsequent to the fall election and before the appointment was made] the idea of seeking the position [of clerk] had not been entertained by myself. (Krickbaum). Upon inquiry I was informed that Parr had been seen in Casey's behalf, and had refused to support him, and then as I had Pohe's suggestion to myself, *I became an applicant.*

From this it appears that what the COLUMBIAN said about Mr. Krickbaum being an applicant for the place was not "maliciously false," as he now confesses that it was absolutely true. An editor with a bad memory should consult his own files before placing himself in such a predicament.

Tax Collector Jones' Audacity.

The most astonishing piece of official assurance developed for some time turned up in Hazle township, Luzerne county, a few days ago. A collector of school tax managed to get more out of the taxpayers of the township than his duplicate called for, the duplicate being largely prepared from the list of taxables of the previous year. Some of the people who were exonerated last year paid taxes unexpectedly this year, and, of course, the collector took all the money that was offered him in payment of taxes. Then he found he had collected $700 more than his duplicate called for, but he did not turn this over to the school district treasurer. He had the audacity to put it into his own pocket and say it was his by technical right, because his duplicate only called for a limited amount.—*Times.*

Defeat of the Morrison Bill.

The discussion of the vote on the tariff bill in Congress Thursday affords a very fair illustration of the narrowness and illiberality of some persons who undertake to define the limitations of party fealty and organization. In some of the newspapers we already see and in many others we have expectations of further seeing Messrs. Scott, Swope and Storm, of this state, savagely attacked and roundly denounced as "free traders" and enemies of Pennsylvania's interests because they voted to go into consideration of the Morrison bill. We sympathize with no such assault. There is nothing in their position to show that they are free traders or that they are hostile to the interests of their party or their state. They have their individual view of the best way of revising the tariff, or of a way which they think is the best way to be had, and if they are honest in it, as we do not doubt they are, they ought to vote with their consciences. Their difference from their colleagues is no serious matter.

On the other hand it is absurd to call down Democratic maledictions upon the heads of the Democratic members from New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, who voted against the Morrison bill; and to undertake to read them out of the party. That will not do. That cannot be done. At least two of these states are essential to Democratic success in the country, and their representatives are not lightly to be branded as traitors.

Some of the editors and other people who talk about drawing the lines dividing parties on the tariff question, are not good engineers to run party lines. They are not true to them, themselves, and they are not fit to sit in judgment upon others. We observe that some of them make the president's alleged approval of the Morrison bill the touchstone of party fealty, and while they accord with him in this, they oppose his views on the civil service and the silver question, subjects as near to the president's heart as the revision of the tariff bill. Others make submission to the report of a Democratic House committee on the tariff the test of the true faith, while they condemn the river and harbor appropriations and other jobs reported by such a committee. Mr. Findlay, of Baltimore, who in a short term has proved an exceptional able and independent public representative, is denounced as a "half-masked Republican," because he voted against the Morrison bill, and yet in its anti-silver and civil service reform position the Democratic administration has had no more courageous and able defender than Mr. Findlay. Mr. Morrison and Mr. Carlisle led the movement for this bill, and yet on the silver coinage question, we believe, they directly antagonize the administration of their party. Mr. Randall is berated for having his friends appointed to office, and the administration is denounced as supporting spoilsmen for favoring him; and yet the president is asked to abuse his executive position and make his appointments to reward those who may agree with him on the tariff and punish those who do not, regardless of other considerations. And this advice comes from gentlemen who vote the Democratic ticket when it suits them, and oppose its nominees when they choose.

On Decoration day a pastor of the Methodist church at Topeka, Kan., delivered an address, in which he used the following language. "I will not attempt to conceal or describe my emotions when I learned that, on the 4th of March last year, at the time of the inauguration ceremonies at Washington, an ex-confederate, Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, (now governor of Va.,) led that military procession in confederate uniform, with gallant Sheridan relegated to an inferior position in the line." The address met Gen. Lee's eye and he sent the following reply to the secretary of the democratic State central committee. He says: "The statements of Dr. McChesney are false. Just after reading his absurd statements comparing the color of gray uniforms to ashes, etc., I read in another of the action of some federal soldiers in Watertown, N. Y., who had received pensions under the laws of the United States, but who, not requiring them had sent them to some confederate soldiers residing in this State, (Va.,) because they thought their necessities greater. Which is doing the most for the promotion of a restored Union of co-equal States, the narrow-minded, blood-thirsty preacher, who has probably never smelled gunpowder, or the ex-Union soldier, who stopped fighting when the war was over? I can only pity a man who remains belligerent so long, and express the hope that after death his ashes may be at peace.

David Davis Dead.

Hon. David Davis died at his home in Bloomington, Ill., on Saturday inorning. He was born in Maryland in 1815, graduated at Kenyon college in 1832, settled as a lawyer in Bloomington, Ill., in 1855, and was a Circuit Judge in Illinois from 1848 to 1862, when he was appointed by President Lincoln an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, which position he resigned in the Spring of 1877 to accept that of United States Senator from Illinois, to which he had been elected by a combination of Democrats and anti-Logan Republicans just when the probability was being canvassed of his selection as one of the Supreme Court Judges to sit on Electoral Commission which decide that R. B. Hayes had been elected President of the United States instead of S. J. Tilden. His natural weight was about 325 pounds.

The Revolt of the Colored Men.

The colored Republican revolt in Harrisburg, says a special to the Philadelphia *Times*, is apparently increasing. Several meetings of the leaders have been held, in which the Republican party has been vigorously denounced for its failure to recognized the colored voters in the distribution of political positions. James W. H. Howard, author of "Bond and Free," a novel in which the "bloody shirt" figures liberally, and late editor of the *State Journal*, the city organ of the colored people, said to-day that the better class of negroes had put their heads together and determined on independent action. These men had heretofore voted the Republican ticket uncomplainingly. The drift of the sentiment was in favor of supporting honest Democratic city officers. Mr. Howard said many colored men would refuse to support General Beaver for Governor and would vote the Prohibition ticket.

The Nanticoke Victims.

AN APPEAL TO THE GOVERNOR TO INSIST ON A RESCUE OF THE VICTIMS.

Governor Pattison has received a petition from relatives and friends of the miners buried in the colliery at Nanticoke, praying him to use his influence to induce the owners of the mine to resume the search for the bodies. They say that there may be a possibility of some of the victims being yet alive, but at any rate they want them disinterred and buried in consecrated ground. They further state that the company has not done its duty in regard to the digging out of the unfortunate, and they beseech the governor to induce Superintendent G. Morgan, of Nanticoke, to make the most strenuous efforts for the recovery of their bodies, whether alive or dead. The superintendent showed an indifference in this matter, which verges on heartlessness. They finally entreat the governor to cause a commission to be at once appointed to investigate the matter and report the results of the investigation.

The mine inspector of that district has been instructed to take action as follows:

MR. G. M. WILLIAMS, Inspector of Mines, Wilkesbarre, Pa.—*Sir;* Here with I forward to you a translation of a letter in relation to the disinterred bodies of the victims of the Nanticoke mine disaster, and I respectfully request that if the mine is in your district you will investigate the matter the enclosed letter refers to and report to me, and that if the mine is not in your district you will plesse hand this communication and enclosure to the proper Inspector that he may investigate the matter and report to me.

Very truly yours,
ROBERT E. PATTISON, Governor.

A Skillful Surgical Operation.

A LARGE TUMOR SUCCESSFULLY REMOVED FROM A WOMAN'S THROAT.

A remarkable surgical operation was successfully performed at the general hospital at Buffalo last week, the patient being a woman 46 years old, who came to the hospital a few weeks ago to be treated for an obstruction in the œsophagus, which made it difficult for her to swallow. The diagnosis made indicated that the obstruction was a tumor. About the first of the year the swelling had grown up so that the woman could swallow no solid food, and lately it had increased so that even liquid food could not be forced down her throat by a syringe through the smallest tube made. To save her from starvation it became necessary to perform an operation, which it was finally decided should be to make an opening directly into the stomach. Cocaine was employed to prevent pain, and the operation was performed by Prof. Roswell Park, formerly of Chicago.

An incision was first made over the line of the stomach just below the cartilages and outside the median line, through the abdominal walls. The large intestines were pushed one side and a fold of the stomach sewed to the abdominal wall, so that a portion of the stomach the size of a twenty-five cent piece was exposed to view. After three days a galvano cautery was used to burn away the remaining tissue, and an opening into the stomach was thus made. Food has since been passed into the stomach directly. No ill effects have yet been noticed from the operation.

Reduction by Randall.

ESTIMATES AS TO HOW HIS TARIFF BILL WILL AFFECT REVENUES.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—From computations made at the Treasury, based on last year's receipts, it is estimated that the Randall tariff bill introduced in the House would effect a reduction in the Government revenue of $34,977,665, including $7,044,452 on account of reductions of tariff on dutiable articles; $1,526,124 on account of the additions to the free list, and $26,407,088 on account of the removal of the internal revenue tax on tobacco, &c Principal items of reduction are as follows: In the list—On sawed boards, $963,768; on clap-boards, $391,153. In dutiable articles—Steel railway bars from $112,955 to $86, 409; tin plates from $5,055,590 to $1,000,000; iron and steel rivets and wire rods lighter than No. 5, from $644,915 to $250,000 cotton-ties, from $162,744 to $62,000; pig-lead, from $29,158 to $21,869; rice flour, from $134,418 to $75,000; lemons in boxes, from $561,906 to $460,231; castor beans, from $131,252 to $105,002; clothing (cotton) ready made from $435,423 to 200,000; bags and bagging, from $466,515 to $408,200; jute, from $157,101 to $785,58; silks, ready-made clothing, umbrellas, etc., from $323,307 to 200,000; wools, (class 3), from $1,412,272 to 1,100,000 worsted cloths, from $1,067,349 to 400,000; ready-made clothing (woolen) from $1,226,609 to $600,000; marble (rough), from $244,127 to $187,790, and salt, from $421,532 to $351,276.

WASHINGTON LETTER

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29, 1886.

With a nest of fillibusters in Congress and the President cruising about Chesapeake bay in the Corsair, some patriotic citizens solicitously inquire, "Whither are we drifting?" Scarcely had it become known however, that Mr. Cleveland had been enticed from his hard work of the past week, for a little recreation, than he was again at his desk refreshed for another round of executive vetoes of spurious pension bills.

Some idea may be obtained of the steady, hard work of the president lately, when it is stated that on one day he approved eighty eight pension bills and vetoed thirty, giving each case careful personal attention before action. The veto messages were written by himself and each averaged over a page of foolscap paper, closely written. In examining each bill separately, he had for his guidance the reports from the Senate and House Committees and the report from the Pension Bureau.

The Treasury has never had so reliable a watch-dog as President Cleveland. Not only has he beaten the record on vetoes, but he vetoed more bills on one day alone than any previous President had disapproved during his entire term of office. His total record is now about seventy six, while previous to his accession the whole number of vetoes from the foundation of the Government was only 109. All but seven of Mr. Cleveland's vetoes were of private pension bills. Before his Administration only one pension had ever been disapproved and that was by Gen. Grant.

The prospect of an early adjournment of Congress has also received a summary disapproval from the President. He has notified the able legislative politicians who have been in the habit of crowding through their scheme during the last gasps of the session, that he intends to read each bill carefully and inform himself of its provisions before he signs it.

He asserts that he will not go to the Capitol and approve bills as fast as they are brought to him for the sake of expediting adjournment. With regard to appropriation bills he deems it his duty to consider every item, and he warns the members of the two Houses that they need not send him long bills appropriating large sums of money written a day or two before adjournment with the idea that he will approve them blindly. With his feeling of responsibility he declares that he can do nothing of the kind.

While the Democrats are delighted with Mr. Cleveland's aggresive attitude with relation to pension bills, the Republicans are frothing with indignation. Representative Bayne, of Pa, made a vicious attack upon what he called the President's unparalleled monopoly of power, and the Republican side applauded his vituperation. Mr. Bayne was insulted beyond expression by the temerity of this man (the President) who had sneered at the reports of committees of this House and the Senate. This man, himself no soldier, but walking the paths of peace, while these other men imperiled their lives to save the Union.

Some of the vetoed claims were so grotesque that the President, in his messages, could not refrain from presenting their ridiculous aspect, for instance this case. A soldier remained in the army one month and seventeen days, having entered it as a substitute at a time when high bounties were paid. Fifteen years after this brilliant service he discovered that an attack of measles had had some relation to his army enrollment, and that the disease had "settled in his eyes." Another claimant asked a pension because of the death of a son killed in action. Being poor, he sent his son to live with an uncle and afterwards with a stranger. The son was killed in '62 but the father did not know it until '64. The President thought after such an exhibition of abandonment and heartlessness on the part of a father, he should not be allowed any benefits of a patriotic son's death.

The Republicans in the House of Representatives are engaged in the business of fillibustering against the introduction of a rule making it in order to provide an income tax for raising the necessary revenue to any pension bill. This is clearly and almost confessedly done to catch the soldier vote.

After a good deal of speech making which changed no votes, Fitz John Porter has again gotten safely through the Senate, having passed the House some months ago. Unless President Cleveland interposes a veto, Congress has at last, after twenty years wrestling, finally disposed of this question and Porter will be restored to the army and placed upon the retired list.

Queen Victoria has dissolved Parliament in order to ascertain the sense of the people on the important proposal to establish a legislative body in Ireland for the management of Irish affairs. Mr. Gladstone is making a tour and addressing the people in favor of his Home Rule policy, and is greeted with enthusiasm wherever he appears.

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"REV. JAS. M. ROLLINS,
"Pastor M. E. Church South, Fairmont, Va."

TEWKSBURY'S SPACE.

Delegate Election, July 26.
Convention, July 27.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
(Subject to action of Democratic Convention,)
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
Of Catawissa, Columbia Co., Pa.

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The people, through the ballot box, should upon all laws, sumptuary or organic, have an opportunity to express their opinion, before becoming a settled law. Let all be equal before law. No monopoly, no aristocracy.

Democrats of Columbia County: The above are my sentiments and if nominated and elected, pledge myself to labor in all honorable ways to carry it into effect.

Truly Yours,
E. M. TEWKSBURY.

CANDIDATES.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
C. G. MURPHY,
Of Centralia.

Only one vote can be given to each candidate for delegate under the recent amendment to the rules.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
CHARLES REICHART,
Of Main Township.

Subject to decision of Democratic party. Delegate election will be held July 26, Convention, July 27.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
I. K. KRICKBAUM,
Subject to decision of Democratic party.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
JAMES LAKE,
Of Scott Township.
Subject to decision of Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
Of Catawissa.
Subject to decision of Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
F. L. SHUMAN,
Of Catawissa.
Subject to decision of Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
JAMES T. FOX,
Of Beaver Township.
Subject to decision of Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
A. L. FRITZ,
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The undersigned, administrator of the estate of Mary Walters, late of Madison Twp., deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

Saturday, July 31, '86,

at 10 o'clock a. m., all that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in Madison Twp., Columbia county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning in a public road leading from White Hall to Jerseytown on line of lands of Wm. McBride, thence along said road south thirty-eight degrees east twenty-eight perches, thence by same south forty-nine degrees east eight perches, thence by same south fifty-seven and one-fourth degrees, eleven and five-tenths perches, thence by lands of Wm. McBride north forty-two degrees east eighty-nine and three-tenths perches, thence by same south thirty seven degrees east forty-two and five-tenths perches to another public road, thence by land of Jacob Girton forty-three and one-fourth degrees west ninety-eight perches, thence by lands of Jacob Biddle north forty-nine degrees west eighty-seven and five-tenths perches, thence by land of Wm. McBride north forty-four and one-half degrees east twenty and five-tenths perches to place of beginning, containing

31 ACRES

and seventy perches, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent, at the confirmation of sale and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter with interest from confirmation nisi.

(311) REV. H. C. MUNRO,
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Philadelphia Markets

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

FEED—Western winter bran, spot, 15.75 @ 16
FLOUR.—Western extra's 3 60 @ 3.95; Penn a family, 3.75 @ 4.00 Ohio clear, 4.00 @ 4.12½ winter patent 4.75 @ 5.85; Penna. roller process, 4.10 @ 4.40
WHEAT—Pennsylvania red, No. 1, 90@
RYE—88.
CORN.—47 @ 48
OATS.—No. 3 white @ 35 No. 2, 36
HAY AND STRAW Timothy—Choice Western and New York, 18.00, fair to good Western and New York, 8.00 @ 11.00; medium Western and New York, 5 @ 9. Cut hay as to quality 13. @ 15. Rye straw 17, Wheat straw, 10. Oat straw 9 @ 10.
POTATOES.—New 1.25 @3.25 per bbl.
EGGS.—Pennsylvania 13; western 12½.
BUTTER.—Pennsylvania creamery prints 20 Creamery Extra 21, Western extra 18, fair 15 @ 17.
LIVE POULTRY.—Fowls, 9 @ 10 Turkeys 8 @ 9.
DRESSED POULTRY.—Chickens, 13 Turkey 12 13. ducks 11@ 13.

NOTICE OF INQUEST.

ESTATE OF CATHARINE PARVER, DECEASED.

To Peter Parver, of Briggsville, Luzerne Co., Pa.; Hester Reinhard, of Salisbaburg, Lycoming Co., Pa.; Sarah A. Hess, of Kansas Centre, Kansas; Thomas Parver, of Caseville, Huron Co., Michigan.

COLUMBIA COUNTY, ss:

Whereas, at an Orphans' Court, held in Bloomsburg, in and for the county of Columbia, the third day of May, A. D. 1886, before the Hon. Wm. Elwell, President, and his Associates, Justices of the said Court, the petition of Geo. W. Parver was presented, setting forth that Catharine Parver, of said county, lately died intestate, seized in her demesne as of fee, of and in a certain messuage and tract of land situate in the township of Jackson, said county, bounded by lands of John Fritz, Fritz and Kelchner, Samuel Knouse and Washington Knouse, and containing about eighteen acres of land, with the appurtenances. Take notice that an inquest will be held on said lands upon the premises, on Saturday, July 10, 1886, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to make partition to and among the heirs and legal representatives of the said Catharine Parver, deceased, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spoiling the whole. And if it cannot be so divided, then to value and appraise the whole of the said real estate, at which time and place you can attend if you see proper. SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

Bloomsburg, June 8, 1886.

NOTICE.—The undersigned hereby gives public notice, from this date, that inasmuch as it is unpleasant for him to continue to live with his wife, he takes this method of informing the public generally, not to sell or trade his wife anything on his credit, as he will not pay any bills of her contraction, and this shall be deemed sufficient notice.

JAS. L. MILLER.
June 11, 1886. Main Township.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Estate of Aaron Hendershott, late of the town of Bloomsburg, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Aaron Hendershott, deceased, having been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned executrix, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same without delay to LAVINA HENDERSHOTT,

GEO. E. ELWELL, ATTY. Executrix.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of William Sitler, late of Briarcreek township, deceased.

Letters of administration in said estate having been granted to the undersigned administrator, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

J.25-6t WILLIAM LAMON, Adm.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Eli Pealer, late of Fishingcreek twp.

Letters of administration in said estate having been granted to the undersigned administrator, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

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Butter	12½	14
Eggs	12	14
Potatoes	40	60
Hams	11	12
Dried Apples	03	05
Side and shoulder	06	09
Chickens	10	12
Turkeys	12	14
Geese		
Lard per lb	08	10
Hay per ton		12.00
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Onions per bushel	75	1.00
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Estate of Silas McHenry late of Fishingcreek township, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Silas McHenry, deceased, having been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned executor all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same without delay to WILLIAM L. McHENRY

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JULY 2, 1886.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6:36 a. m.	11:49 a. m.
3:42 p. m.	6:13 p. m.

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6:17 a. m.	8:29 a. m.
10:30 a. m.	11:44 a. m.
2:31 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
6:39 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:52 a. m.	12:05 p. m.
6:23 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
SUNDAY.	
NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:14 a m	6:44 p m

The administrator of William Sitler, deceased, will sell personal property in Briarcreek township on Saturday, July 3, at 10 a. m.

MONEY WANTED.—A responsible party wants to borrow $800 for two years. Good real estate security given, first mortgage. The name will be given on calling at the COLUMBIAN office. 3 t.

Rev. H. C. Monro, administrator, will sell valuable real estate on premises in Madison township on Saturday, July 31. See advertisement.

FOR SALE.—The undersigned will sell 40 or 50 acres, more or less, to suit purchasers, from the south side of his farm in Hemlock township. Three good springs of water, good building site, public road through the land, about 5 acres of timber, small stream of water through land. Price $15 per acre in payments. For particulars inquire of Reuben Bomboy, Buckhorn, or Geo. E. Elwell, Bloomsburg. J4,6 mos.

FOR SALE.—A very desirable property, on Market street in the town of Bloomsburg, Pa. nearly opposite Rev. D. J. Waller. Lot 61 feet in width and 198 feet in depth. An alley on the north and east, lot of D. J. Waller on the south. Market street on the west. The dwelling house is a large two story brick with Mansard roof water, gas and sewer drainage, a good large stable, good fruit, and good well of water.

Also a house and lot in Catawissa fronting on 3rd street, above Pine street, a good two story frame dwelling house with two story kitchen attached.

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Meeting of Standing Committee.

The Democratic Standing Committee met in the Grand Jury room last Saturday afternoon. D. Lowenberg, Chairman, presided, and F. D. Dentler was elected Secretary. The following business was transacted:

Apportionment of delegates under vote for Governor in 1882, allowing a ratio of 60 votes for a delegate.

District.	Vote in 1882.	No. of Delegates.
Beaver,	193	3
Berwick, E.	212	2
" W.		2
Benton,	226	4
Bloom, E.	262	4
" W.	157	3
Briarcreek,	132	2
Catawissa,	224	4
Centralia,	130	2
Centre,	173	3
Conyngham, N.	75	2
" S.	83	2
Fishingcreek,	262	4
Franklin,	59	2
Greenwood,	164	3
Hemlock,	145	2
Jackson,	123	2
Locust,	248	4
Madison,	168	3
Main,	136	2
Mifflin,	193	3
Montour,	74	2
Mt. Pleasant,	88	2
Orange,	115	2
Roaringcreek,	70	2
Pine,	97	2
Scott, W.	60	2
" E.	103	2
Sugarloaf,	167	3
Total,		75

Under this apportionment Benton, Bloom West, Catawissa, Greenwood and Sugarloaf, each get an additional delegate, over what they had under the ratio of 67 votes to a delegate, when the whole number of delegates was limited to seventy.

Personal.

Mr. Eli Barton has been on the sick list for some weeks.

Prof. Allen will spend the 4th at Susquehanna with relatives.

Mrs. Harold Rodgers, of Hazleton, is visting relatives here.

W. H. Reinoold, Mercantile Appraiser, was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Morris Michel, of Camden, N. J., is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. U. P. McHenry, of Millville, was among the visitors to town on Tuesday.

Prof. Noetling has gone to his home in Selinsgrove to spend the Summer vacation.

Mr. A. Zahner and wife, of Abilene, Kansas, are the guests of Rev. L. Zahner.

J. J. Brower Esq. went to Bellefonte on Friday to spend a few days at his daughter's.

J. K. Bittenbender spent a few days up the creek this week, on business and pleasure combined.

Robert Buckingham, Esq., Dr. Morrill, Dr. T. J. Swisher and C. L. Sands spent a few days up the creek this week, fishing.

Mr. Richard Drinker is expected home from the south to-day, (Friday) to spend the summer.

Dr. J. F. Chapin and wife, of Schoolcraft, Mich., are visiting relatives here. The Doctor is looking very well, and is nicely fixed in his Western home.

A. J. Kline, of Stillwater, was in town on Saturday. He was for many years a Justice of the Peace of Fishingcreek Twp. He is now 84 years of age, and is well preserved.

The Sanitarium has numerous guests.

There will be an adjourned court on July 5.

Berwick is taking steps to procure a Soldiers' monument.

P. T. Barnum's reported death last week was, like himself, a humbug.

Mr. P. H. Freeze presented us recently with a pail of luscious red cherries.

A Sunday school picnic from Taylorville occupied Oak Grove on Wednesday.

Evening services at St. Paul's Church will begin at 6:30 o'clock during the summer.

Sheriff Smith has very much improved his buildings at Stillwater by giving them a coat of paint.

Mrs. Harry Fornwald picked a leaf of lettuce in her garden recently that measured 16½ inches.

There will be a festival at Asbury for the benefit of the M. E Church on the afternoon and evening of July 10th.

Ent Post will have bean soup, ice cream and other refreshments in their hall on Saturday afternoon and evening.

Harry, youngest son of Jonas Ager, of this town, died on Monday morning, aged 9 years. Interment at Orangeville on Wednesday.

Prof. Munder's course of dancing lessons wound up on Monday with a hop at Winona hall. Metherell's orchestra furnished the music.

Rev. D. M. Kinter caught a trout near his home at Stillwater that measured 17 inches. This is the largest trout that has been caught this season.

Jesse C. Ammerman announces his name as a candidate for Congress in Montour, and James McCormick, of the same county, wants to be State Senator.

The new Presbyterian Church at Orangeville is fast nearing completion. When finished it will be as fine a church edifice as can be found in this section.

J. S. Phillips showed us two boxes of strawberries from John Wall's patch over the river, that were immense. There were not over 25 or 30 berries in a basket but they filled it full.

J. J. McHenry tried hard to beat Mr. Kinter's record of trout fishing. He caught one trout a few days ago that measured a little over 16 inches, and another that measured 13 inches.

A number of fine residences are being built at Orangeville, and a great many made in an attractive manner by the use of paint. Among the number, that of Dr. O. A. Megargell, presents a fine appearance.

A law passed in 1881 provides that when the 4th of July falls on Sunday, the following day will be observed as a holiday. Monday, the 5th, will therefore be a holiday, and all places of business will be closed.

The Water Co. is putting in a new 75 horse power boiler at the pump house. They already have two of 25 horse power each, but as it requires both of them to do the pumping they had no reserve power in case of accident.

The 150th anniversary of St. Peter's Church, Freehold, N. J., the Rev. T. H. Cullen, Rector, was held June 4, with memorial services morning and evening. The original charter of the church was granted June 4, 1736, by George I.

An investigation of the charges made by Ex-Warden Jackson against Dr. Biddle, superintendent of the Miners' Hospital at Ashland, failed to sustain the charges. The hearing took place in the presence of the Board of Charities and the Board of Trustees.

William C. Johnston, Esq., is a candidate for re-election to the office of Register and Recorder of Montour county, thus far without a competitor. He has held the office many years, and has filled it so satisfactorily that no one wants to contest it with him.

The fifteenth annual session of the Mountain Grove Camp meeting will open on Wednesday, August 4th., and close on Thursday, August 12th. For particulars address Cyrus Straw, Wilkesbarre, secretary, or E. W. M. Low, President, Lime Ridge, Pa.

W. H. Jacoby has severed his connection with the *Sentinel*, his work as editor having ended with last week's issue, after a faithful service of fifteen months. The paper under his management became newsy and interesting, and he will be missed by its readers, as it will be difficult to supply his place.

Rev. F. E. Clark, who has been pastor of St. Columba's R. C. Church for more than a year past has resigned, and leaves today for a month's vacation among the mountains, and will then take charge of a new parish elsewhere. The church property has greatly improved under his administration.

Robert Hillands and wife, of Chillisquaque, aged 60 and 50 years respectively, were instantly killed by the newspaper train at the Mahoning street railroad crossing at Milton, last Sunday morning while on their way to church. Their horse was badly injured, and their carriage was broken into splinters.

Judge Rockefeller, of Sunbury in order to clear up the civil list has ordered a nine weeks term of the several courts in his district, commencing on the first Monday in September. The trial of the criminal cases will occupy the first two weeks. The common pleas court will convene September 27, October 18 and November 1.

T. H. Edgar, at Stillwater, keeps busy filling orders at his planing mill. He has his mill well stocked with fine machinery, and being located in the midst of the lumber region, can turn out work as well and cheaper than can be obtained elsewhere. He gives constant employment to a number of workmen, and thus keeps money in circulation about Stillwater.

Quite a sensation was created last week by a report that a man named Heaps had committed suicide by drowning. It seems he had some difficulty with his wife and left home after giving the impression that he would never return. Circumstances led to the conclusion that he had jumped into the canal, and some time was spent in fishing for him. After a couple of days he appeared alive and well.

A white crow is on exhibition at Klase's hotel in Berwick. It was captured near the town.

G. A. Carey, of Berwick, met with an accident on Tuesday by which he received a severe cut on the head. We have not heard the particulars.

The regular monthly meeting of the Gospel Temperance Union will be held in the Evangelical church on Tuesday evening. An interesting programme has been arranged.

The Republican Convention met at Harrisburg Wednesday morning and put in nomination the following ticket: Governor, James A. Beaver; Lieutenant Governor, William T. Davis; Auditor-General, Col. A. Wilson Norris; Secretary of Internal Affairs, Thomas J. Stewart; Congressman-at-Large, General Osborne.

Mr. William L. Laird, of Hughesville, will erect this summer at Lewis' Lake a large hotel building, 40x120 feet, three stories high. It will not be completed before next spring, when it will be opened to the public. The site is one of the best at the lake and a most desirable place for visitors to put up at. Mr. Laird will superintend the construction of the building and also the running of the hotel when completed.

The suit against G. A. Potter at Wilkesbarre for obtaining money under false pretenses was tried on Tuesday and resulted in a verdict of not guilty, the defendant to pay one third of the costs, and the prosecutor, A Ricketts, two thirds. The suit arose out of the sale of the *Journal* office of this place to parties in Wilkesbarre and the prosecutor claimed that Potter did not deliver what he agreed to. The jury found otherwise.

J. A. Howard of Pine township was committed to jail last week, Thursday. He represented himself as an agent of the Milton R. R. and bought a horse at Orangeville, paying for it with an order on the company. He bought another horse of John Appleman at Buckhorn with a bogus order or check, and took the two horses to Jerseytown where he sold them to A. K. Smith. He was arrested on Appleman's complaint.

Prof. Charles J. MacHenry will give a concert in Garey's hall about July 15. He has secured the services of Prof. Henri Stulen, of Athens, whose reputation as a violinist is second to none in this vicinity, Edward Walker, leader of the Germania band, of Towanda, and Miss Jennie Hull, pianist, of Monroeton. This promises to be the finest musical treat ever given in this place. The date will be announced hereafter.—*Dushore Review.*

From an announcement in the Danville papers we observe that Horace C. Blue is a candidate for Treasurer of Montour county, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention. Mr. Blue is a young man of excellent character, with good business qualifications, and an active, hard-working Democrat. He has many friends here who will be pleased at his success, should he get the nomination. The Democrats of Montour could not make a better selection.

The newspaper fraternity is pleased over the new postal law recently put in force by the Postoffice Department. It makes the taking of a newspaper and refusing to pay for the same theft, and any person guilty of such action is liable to criminal proceedings the same as if he had stolen goods to the amount of the subscription. Hereafter it will be a very shrewd scheme to take a newspaper from the postoffice for a year and inform the editor that you never ordered it sent to you.

In these days of picnics and pleasure trips to the country it is well to know that a good antidote for poison by poison oak, ivy, etc., is to take a handful of quicklime dissolved in water, let it stand half an hour, then paint the poisoned part with it. Three or four applications will never fail to cure the most aggravated cases. Poison from bees, hornets etc., is instantly arrested by the application of equal parts of common salt and bicarbonate of soda, well rubbed in on the place bitten or stung.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg for week ending June 29, 1886:

Miles A. Comstock, James Hess, M. M. Hoffman & Co, Mr. John Hubbert, Miss. Ida Ikles, Miss Gertrude Miller, J. W. H Purnell.

CARDS.

Miss Bertha Bell

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

GEORGE A. CLARK, P. M.

Those who desire to spend a happy day on the third of July should spend it in the beautiful valley near the headwaters of Fishing Creek. J. W. Perry the proprietor of the Elk Run Hotel is prepared to give one of the best of enjoyments witnessed for some time past. The programme will be dancing both day and evening, quoit pitching, foot racing and a fine display of fireworks at night—that will beautifully illuminate the valley and surrounding mountains. Ice cream will be served with cool temperate drinks to suit the ladies. The proprietor has made sure this time to obtain music for the occasion. A first class photograph gallery will be near the building to accomodate those who desire a rustic tin-type as an emblem to remember the great day at the Elk Run Hotel, July 3d., '86.—*Sullivan Republican.*

Any of our friends intending to visit New York, will be pleased to learn that their well-known and favorite stopping place, FRENCH'S HOTEL, is ready to receive them. The house has been in the hands of skilled workmen for months, and is completely renovated. Every hall and room has handsome Brussels carpets, and all the furniture is new, and of cherry or mahogany, while innumerable French plate looking glasses adorn the walls in every part of the house. The general dining-room is one of the largest and handsomest in the city, and is, with the private dining-rooms, elaborately furnished. All the sleeping-rooms have electric call bells used for awaking guests, without the old-fashioned kicking on the door, and ample ventilation. One of the new proprietors, Mr. F. W. Coleman, was for several years manager and part owner, and still owns one-fourth of the Carrolton Hotel, Baltimore, and is the son of the late and far-famed Robert B. Coleman of the Astor House. The hotel is kept on the European plan, the price being $1 a day, and the bill of fare is equal to that of any first-class hotel in the city, though the prices are very moderate. See the card of the hotel in another column.

Robbers at Hughesville.

Sunday night June 20th. robbers forced an entrance into the Williamsport and North Branch railroad depot at Hughesville, where they broke open two safes and the ticket case. They did not succeed in finding anything of value, nothing being missed from the office. They caused considerable damage, however, and Superintendent Welch offers two hundred dollars reward for their arrest.

Commencement at the Normal.

The Class Day exercises of this school drew large houses, but Commencement is the great event. The exercises of Commencement have always been well attended, but this year, notwithstanding the threatening state of the weather, the attendance was exceptionally large. Long before the doors were opened, the porches were crowded with persons anxiously waiting to gain admission and secure seats; and half an hour before the time fixed for the exercises to begin, every available space, even for sitting or standing in the large hall, the entrance to it and the gallery, was occupied by an attentive and intelligent audience. A few minutes before half-past nine, the Seniors, headed by the Faculty, arrived and forced their way through the crowd into the hall. As soon as all the members of the class had been provided with seats, the exercises began.

The following was the programme: Overture, Caliph of Bagdad, Harald; piano, Misses Curran, Peterman, Owen, Courson; clarionet, Harry Eshleman; violin, Miss Dora Niles, Mr. Pannebaker; cornet, Prof. I. W. Niles. Prayer, Rev. F. B. Riddle. Essay, "The Progressive Teacher," Jennie Stiles. Essay, "The Teacher's Responsibilities," Hattie A. Hoffa. Oration, Stepping Stones to Success, M. A. Kline. Essay, The Bells, Annie E. Maize. Vocal Solo, Open Thy Lattice, Gregh—Jennie M. Stiles. Essay, "Education of the Temper," Mary Meixell. Essay, "The True Woman," Emma W. Murphy. Essay, "Means and Ends of School Government," Isabella N. Monie. Essay, "Objects of Recreation," Ellen L. Geiser. Instrumental Quintette, The Dying Poet—Gottschalk; piano, Misses Owen and Courson; clarionet, Harry Eshleman; violin, Miss Dora Niles; cornet, Prof. I. W. Niles. Essay, "The Present a Progressive Age," Rey Shultz. Essay, "Intelligence an Element of Success," Bessie Hughes. Oration, "Public Opinion as a Criterion of Right," J. Claude Keiper. Chorus, Wake! Dearest Love—Perkins; Messrs. Bidleman, Sterling, Sanner, Zellers, Lewis, Geiger and Nissley. Essay, "Modes of Securing Attention," Mame A Reily. Essay, "The Motives that Should Control the Student in Obtaining an Education," Allie Donley. Essay, "The Philosopher's Stone," Mary L. Schoch. Oration, "Education, the Keystone of the Republic," W. L. Williams. Instrumental Septette, Tres Jolie Waltzes—Waldteufel; piano, Misses Montgomery, Harvey, Ent and Thompson; clarionet, Harry Eshleman; violin, Miss Dora Niles; cornet, Prof. I. W. Niles. Essay, "Vocal Music in the Public Schools," Myrtle G. Yost. Oration, "The Practical Man," Nolan Sanner. Poem, The Weary Teacher; Nan S. Coughlin. Quartette, Old Folks at Home; Misses Peterman, Hoffa, Jones and Barnes. Conferring of degrees. Chorus, We Rock Away on the Billows Gay—Emerson, sixteen voices. Benediction.

The class consisted of forty-six ladies and seventeen gentlemen, the largest number this school has ever sent out at one time; and, judging from the appearance of the class, from most of the essays and orations and the manner in which they were read and spoken, one of the most sensible and intelligent classes it ever has been our privilege to see graduate at a school of this kind. There seems to be nothing done for mere effect or show, no merely sentimental essays or orations, no artificial elocution; everything indicated good, plain common sense. The only criticism that might be made, is that some of the essayists did not seem to have sufficient power of voice to make themselves heard all over the room.

The following are the names of the graduating class:

ACADEMIC COURSE.

Annie E. Maize, Mary L. Schoch.

ELEMENTARY COURSE.

Josephine R. Barkley, M. Elfleda Barnes, Ida M. Bell, Ida Bernhard, Annie J. Bloss, Maggie C. Brennan, Norman G. Cool, Nan S. Coughlin, Gilbert Curry, Annie Daniels, Joseph L. Derr, Sue H. Derr, William T. S. Deavor, Allie Donley, John J. Elwood, Jerome O. Felker, Emma Fisher, Carrie H. Frauenthal, Ellen S. Geiser, Mary A. Guckavan, Maude A. Hill, Hattie A. Hoffa, Maize E. Hoffa, Catherine L. Humphrey, Bessie Hughes, Flora B. Jones, J. Claude Keiper, Marion A. Kline, Josephine Kozer, Jennie T. Lambert, Grace A. Leacock, Adam E. L. Leckie, Anna L Lehe, William R. Lewis, Melle Long, Elizabeth A. Low, Stella Lowenberg, Alice J. McCann, Mary A. Meixell, Belle N. Monie, Harry C. Moyer, Lucetta Moyer, Emma W. Murphy, Emma M. Patton, Michael H. Quinn, Jeremiah Reeder, Mame A. Reilly, Nolan H. Sanner, Adelle A. Shaffer, Annie M. Shalter, Rey Shultz, Bruce C. Shuman, Emma M. Sites, Annie C. Snyder, George A. Spangler, Mary A. Stack, Jennie M. Stiles, Ada Ten-Brook, William L. Williams, Eleanor Wintersteen Emma J. Witmer, Sue A. Wood, Myrtle G. Yost. William J. Zeiders.

School Board Meeting.

The Board of Directors met in the Grand Jury room on Friday evening last, all being present. The bond of the Treasurer was approved. The following committees were announced: Buildings, grounds and repairs, Brown, Knorr, Hagenbuch; Supplies, Hagenbuch, Kramer and Rosenstock; Grievances, Brown, Kramer and Lawall. The length of school term was fixed at 8 months, to begin first Monday of September. The tax rate fixed at 5 mills, one for building and four for school purposes. The following teachers were elected and their salaries fixed: Nora M. Finney, Assistant to Principal, $40.00 per month; Georgie Purcell, assistant in grammar school, $30.00; Florence Wirt, Intermediate, Third street, $35 00; Ella Sterner, assistant, $30.00; Mary M. Unangst, Intermediate, Fifth street, $35.00; Cora Hagenbuch, Assistant, $30.00; Sadie Vannatta, Secondary, Third street, $35.00; Dora A. Marr, assistant, $30.00; Lou. H. Robbins, Secondary, Fifth street, $35.00; Anna Fox, assistant, $30.00; Anna Pressler, Primary, Third street, $40.00; Ella Allen, assistant, $32.50; Hannah Breece, Primary, Fifth street, $40.00; Hattie Sloan, assistant, $32.50. After some ineffectual attempts to fix salary of Principal, the Board adjourned to meet on Friday evening, July 2, when it is proposed to select a Principal and teacher for grammar school.

The Best in the Market.

We would remind our friends and former patrons and the public generally, that we are still handling D. M. Osborne & Co's Reapers, Mowers and Binders, of which we have on hand a full line, covering all the latest improvements, which are added to these excellent machines every year.

We keep constantly on hand a line of extras for the above machines and make a specialty of repairing, not only the Osborne machines, but all kinds of mowing and reaping machines.

We have always on hand a full line of knives for all makes of machines. We have a large stock of the very best of binder twine, which we are offering for 15 cents per. pound. Inviting all to examine our machines before purchasing elsewhere we are respectfully HARMAN & HASSERT.

Railroad News.

The engineer corps on the Shickshinny and North Mountain Railroad, have completed their outline work on the eastern section of the proposed new road, and have carefully defined the topography of the country through which it is to run, and started upon their work of surveying the route. The road will probably connect at Millville, Columbia county, with the new line running to Milton. Watsontown is also an active competitor for the western terminus. The road will open up a section of State now without any railroad, and which is rich in timber, iron ore, and limestone; while in farms it is one of the richest portions of the State. The road will connect at Mocanaqua with the North and West Branch Railroad of the Pennsylvania system.

The Wilkes-Barre & Western Railroad Company was chartered at Harrisburg last week with a capital of $1,000,000. This is the route surveyed in the spring from Shickshinny to Millville and thence to Milton, on the West Branch of the Susquehanna. The incorporators are principally from Milton and Millville. The survey is independent of the route now being surveyed by the Pennsylvania engineers and runs along the foot of Knob Mountain to within two miles of Orangeville, where it runs up Greencreek to Millville.—*Echo*

The Lehigh Valley R. R Co. is about to build a branch six or seven miles long in the vicinity of Delano to connect with a branch now in course of construction near Audenreid. This whole line is to connect the Pennsylvania and Schuylkill Valley R. R., through the Pottsville and Mahanoy and New Boston branches of the Lehigh Valley R. R. with the main line of the latter road at Hazelton. The Pennsylvania company let about twelve miles to contractors about ten days ago from Glen Rock, near Hazelton, north to a point on the North and West Branch R. R., running along the Susquehanna River to Wilkes-Barre. The Pennsylvania R. R. thus secures a through line from Philadelphia to Wilkes-Barre via Pottsville, Delano, and Hazelton.—*Hazelton Sentinel*

Track laying is now being pushed along above Sonestown and it is expected that freight trains will be run to the upper end of the line early in July. The wood choppers are clearing the right of way above Elk Lick so that the graders can move on as fast as they complete the work below. There is some talk of starting a separate force at Dohm's Summit where the junction is made with the Lehigh Valley R. R., and work this way so that the trains may possibly be run into Laporte by the Lehigh Valley R. R. before long by arrangement with the W. & N. B. R. R.—*Hughesville Mail.*

Independence Day at Shickshinny.

Shickshinny's Independence Day Celebration and picnic promises a grand time. Every detail of arrangement is perfect and only await the arrival of the 3d. to be carried out. Col. Piclett will arrive in the morning and deliver the address. The band contest will commence at 1.30 p. m. The Grozier band, of Berwick; Wanamie band, of Wanamie, and Shickshinny band are the contestants. Then will come the prize base ball match between the Arlingtons, of Wilkes-Barre and the Millers, of Miner's Mills. The bicycle race for two gold and three silver medals will follow, to close with an exhibition of the wonderful skill of Master Boyd F. Cadman, of Bloomsburg, the champion boy bicyclist of the world, on his wheel. Master Cadman is only five years old and rides his machine in seventeen different positions. The Berwick and Cambra base ball clubs will then give a fine exhibition game. These exercises will be interpersed with music and a tub and wheelbarrow race will afford any amount of mirth. In the evening there will be a grand display of fire works. Owing to the addition of another ball game and Master Cadman's exhibition, the parade has been abandoned.—*Echo.*

Fourth of July at Gettysburg A Grand Demonstration on the Field.

The encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and the reunion of the Third Army Corps at Gettysburg will appropriately occur on the anniversary of the great battle which was waged on the historic ground twenty-three years ago. The Pennsylvania Department of the Grand Army of the Republic encamps on the field from July 2d. to 7th. and on the 2d. and 3d. the reunion of the Third Army Corps will be held. During the entire week ceremonies of the most interesting character will be held every day, which will be participated in by the veterans of the fight. It is expected that from five to seven thousand members of the Grand Army of the Republic will be present, including many officers who were engaged in the fight. Generals Sickles, Fitzhugh Lee and Longstreet have accepted invitations to be present and to speak. The meeting will undoubtedly be one of the most imposing demonstrations of modern times, and will be worthy of the presence of every American citizen. To those who desire to get all the points of the battle no better opportunity will ever present itself, for in addition to the number of soldiers who were engaged in the fight there will be a large number of experienced guides who will point out to visitors every spot of interest and give all the information possible as to the events of the memorable days of the battle. For the benefit of the large number of vistors who will be drawn to Gettsburg the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all principal stations on its lines east of Pittburg and Erie on June 30th, July 1st. 2d. 3d. 4th. and 5th. good to return until the 10th inclusive, at one fare for the round trip.

How to Tell a Girl's Age.

Girls of a marriageable age do not like to tell how old they are; but you can find out by following the subjoined instructions, the young lady doing the figuring. Tell her to put down the number of the month in which she was born; then to multiply it by 2; then to add 5; then to multiply by 50; then to add her age; then to substract 365; then to add 115; then tell her to tell you the amount she has left. The two figures to the right will denote her age and the remainder the month of her birth. For example, the amount is 822; she is 22 years old and was born in the eighth month (August). Try it.

State Teachers' Association.

The thirty-second annual meeting of the Pennsylvania State Teachers' Association will be held at Music hall, at Allentown, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, July 6, 7 and 8, 1886. The programme, as arranged by the Executive Committee, presents variety sufficient to occupy profitably the time of the three days' session. Railroad fare and hotel rates are reduced. Arrangements have been made by the local committees for special excursions to places of interest in the vicinity, and a very low-priced trip to New York is announced. All friends of education are cordially invited. There are prospects for a very large and pleasant meeting.

A Trip Up the Creek.

Having certain business matters to see to in the upper end of the county the junior editor started Thursday evening of last week for Benton, arriving there at 10 o'clock. Friday a horse and carriage was procured and with a driver as pilot, we visited a great many friends and patrons in Benton township; seeing some of the finest farms that any one can desire. The grain and hay are in good condition and will give a large yield. The corn is growing rapidly, notwithstanding the late Spring, the indications are that when Fall comes will be as far advanced as other years and ready for cutting. Friday afternoon we left Benton, taking a route toward the head waters of Fishingcreek. We reached a point above Parvin Kile's Mountain House early in the evening and here met F. M. Everet, K. C. Eut and son and Paul E. Wirt, Esq., just returning from a day's fishing. The horse, carriage and driver were bid adieu, and we helped count the trout caught that day, numbering 297. The next day the writer started alone up Painter run, to catch his first trout. He succeeded in taking a nice mess. Plans were now being made to start up the main creek toward the head waters. The writer being inexperienced at catching trout, was not wise in procuring his outfit and found himself shoeless; but through the kindness of Parvin Kile the proprietor of the Mountain House, a pair of large boots were secured and thus the outfit completed. We might here state that Mr. Kile built a hotel a few years ago at the very foot of the mountains and has a fine and commodious place. Monday morning at five o'clock we started up the stream. We first walked about four miles to the first forks, here the party separated, two starting down the stream, another up the one forks, while the writer and another took the other forks. We fished up the stream as rapidly as possible for about four or five miles and here separating again we went as far as we could find the stream large enough to fish. The result of the day's work was about 250 trout. The pioneer of thd party was Mr. F. M. Everett, who has been fishing these streams for the past ten years, and has become quite an expert at fishing. Knowing that unless the streams were restocked they would be soon emptied of the choice fish, he obtained from the Fish Commission at Harrisburg this Spring five thousand small trout, and during the month of May took them to the headwaters and restocked; or put back part of what he has taken out during the past years. It is his purpose to put in about five thousand every year, and thus keep the stream replenished. It takes about three years until a trout grows large enough to be sought for nice eating.

If others of our fishermen were as particular to see that the stream was restocked or that no small trout were destroyed there would be no danger of exhausting the supply.

East Benton.

It is claimed by many that the corn prospect is very poor.

There is some exceedingly stout grass in the neighborhood.

Judge Krickbaum and wife went to Butler, Luzerne county last Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Sleppy who had married a sister to Mrs. Krickbaum.

Stanley Dodson, a small boy, living with Judge Krickbaum was playing with a hen last Sunday evening when a rooster struck him on the foot with spur, the wound causing the boy excruciating pain.

Simon Tubbs, an aged citizen of this place is lying very ill and his demise is a question of only a few days.

Rev. Wm. R. Campbell has completed his theological course in Union Seminary (Presbyterian) of New York city, was home on a short visit, preached at Rhorsburg last Sunday a. m. and at Ravencreek p. m. returned to New York sometime during the week to make preliminary arrangements for his life work which will be more clearly defined in the near future and will start for Utah about the 1st. of October where he will locate for a year as missionary and if agreeable will make it his permanent location.

John Ashelman's new domicile is about ready for the painter's brush. It will make a pretty home.

Festivals are the order of the day; too numerous to itemize.

We hear of Buckalew and Freeze now, we will hear more of them hereafter, in Congress and in the State Senate.

Benton.

The 4th is so near at hand that we thought a little information to the public would be interesting as to what our enterprising place would do to celebrate the anniversary of our country's liberty.

Benton has improved. J. J. McHenry has put a new gable on his store and repainted it.

A. H. McHenry and Holly McHenry each have remodelled and painted their house in a very beautiful style.

Chas Follmer, J. J. Karns have put up each a beautiful home. Ira Hess has added a portico to his house.

Elias McHenry, Dr. J. B. Laubach, Orlando McHenry, A. H. McHenry and many others in and around Benton have had Keller bros. put them up substantial jobs of spouting or tinwork. We now have a new firm in the last named parties who deal in and manufacture tin ware, roofing, spouting, heaters and ranges, plows and farming implements. Their work is their reference.

The new hotel kept by J. B. McHenry is a model of convenience and beauty affording accomodation to tourist, traveler and all classes. On the 3rd. in the afternoon and evening a grand ball will be given. Best musicians are secured and to those who have attended this place it is needless to say it does not have its superior outside of the cities.

1776 and 1886.

Independence day at Orangeville on July 3rd.

Among the many attractions of the day will be the firing of a national salute of 38 guns at sunrise. At 9 a. m. a grand fantastic parade embodying historical scenes and impersonations of characters in the great struggle for national independence in 1776. At 10:30 p. m. an exciting tub race followed by a sack race. Open to all.

At 1 p. m. the Declaration of Independence will be read and addresses delivered by prominent speakers. A choir of 40 voices accompanied by the Orangeville orchestra will render choice selections and national airs. At 3 p. m. a wheelbarrow race followed by a game of base ball by the two crack clubs of the county. At night there will be a grand display of fire works. The Orangeville cornet band will enliven the day by choice music. All are cordially invited to attend.

COMMITTEE.

Sudden changes of weather produce and aggravate colds and develop dormant conditions of catarrh. The longer it runs the worse it becomes. Keller's Catarrh Remedy is the greatest cure for catarrh. Try it.

Fourth of July Excursions via Pennsylvania Railroad.

In pursuance of its usual custom the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets between all principal stations on its owned, operated and leased lines, on July 2d, 3d. 4th. and 5th. good to return until 6th, at reduced rates. By this arrangement the great national holiday may be spent in visiting friends, or in making pleasant excursions to some of the many points of interest located on the company's lines. The intervention of Sunday gives an additional day to those whose time is occupied by business, and this with the liberal limit of the excursion tickets, affords opportunity for the enjoyment of a nice holiday trip.

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF PURE
Cod Liver Oil, With Hypophosphites.
As a remedy for pulmonary affections and scrofulous diseases.

Dr. Ira M. Lang—a prominent physician in New York, says:—I am greatly pleased with your Emulsion. Have found it very serviceable in above diseases, and it is easily administered on account of its palatableness.

MARRIAGES.

SPRING—SWISHER—In Watsontown June 21st. By the Rev. H. C. Munro, Mr. Edward Spring of Lairdsville and Miss Lizzie M. Swisher.

YOST—O'BLOSSER.—At the Reformed church, Thursday, June 24, 1886, by Rev. S. R. Bridenbaugh, Mr. Charles Yost to Miss Annie O'Blosser, both of Bloomsburg, Pa.

The First Sign

Of failing health, whether in the form of Night Sweats and Nervousness, or in a sense of General Weariness and Loss of Appetite, should suggest the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This preparation is most effective for giving tone and strength to the enfeebled system, promoting the digestion and assimilation of food, restoring the nervous forces to their normal condition, and for purifying, enriching, and vitalizing the blood.

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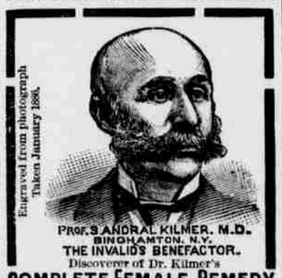

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ftituted for Jimmy, but it was nearly night before he was found. A great many ominous predictions were made, to the effect that fractional parts only of the darling boy would be recovered. But Jimmy was never born to be annihilated thus early in his patriotic career. They picked him up a quarter of a mile from the scene of his triumph, whole as to body, but nearly denuded of cloth-

HOW THEY FOUND HIM.

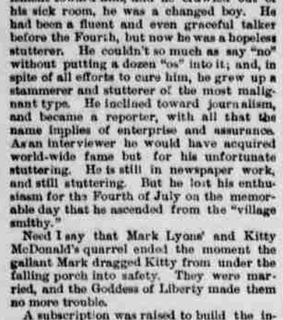
ing. Neither was he without the marks of his recent adventure. His nerves had received a shock they never could recover from. His teeth chattered so badly that he couldn't utter a word for days, and he could neither stand nor walk for weeks. By and by, when public sentiment became more lenient toward him, and he crawled out of his sick room, he was a changed boy. He had been a fluent and even graceful talker before the Fourth, but now he was a hopeless stutterer. He couldn't so much as say "no" without putting a dozen "os" into it; and, in spite of all efforts to cure him, he grew up a stammerer and stutterer of the most malignant type. He inclined toward journalism, and became a reporter, with all that the name implies of enterprise and assurance. As an interviewer he would have acquired world-wide fame but for his unfortunate stuttering. He is still in newspaper work, and still stuttering. But he lost his enthusiasm for the Fourth of July on the memorable day that he ascended from the "village smithy."

Need I say that Mark Lyons' and Kitty McDonald's quarrel ended the moment the gallant Mark dragged Kitty from under the falling porch into safety. They were married, and the Goddess of Liberty made them no more trouble.

A subscription was raised to build the innocent blacksmith another shop. Mark Lyons contributed liberally, feeling that the blacksmith's loss had been his gain. All came out of the explosion, with less damage than Jimmy Carroll. It shook his self-confidence to such an extent that he gave up all hope of Kitty, and smilingly saw her married to Mark Lyons. When any one asks him now to help make the Fourth of July properly glorious he says: "N-o-o-o-o-o, th-th-tha-n-k you. I d-i-i-d e-e-e-cel-e-b-b-brate it once." MAX ELTON.

NEW YORK, June 28.

In the morning of the Fourth of July good old Dr. Jingo distributes patriotic paraphernalia to the youth of the neighborhood.



In the afternoon of the glorious day good old Dr. Jingo has all the business he can attend to.

We need the social sympathy necessary for the enjoyment of pleasure and a holiday; and we want it, because we have neglected to cultivate it. If we would see more of each other as friends and less as mere business acquaintances—open the doors of our houses to the daily guest, and our hearts to a freer communion—we should acquire a habit of social feeling which would become as much a desire of our daily life as it is a necessity of its happiness.

Without the habitual social sympathy we ask for we are better, perhaps, without holidays; for they come when we do not know what to do with them, and a sudden stoppage to the business machine only serves to throw everything out of gear—all becomes confusion and excitement. With all due reverence for the associations of the day, who does not at night, after counting his children and his ten fingers and finding them safe and sound, out of the gunpowder and riot, go to bed thanking heaven that the "glorious Fourth" is past! We have yet to learn the proper use of that blessed institution, the holiday.

FOURTH OF JULY IN THE CITY.

The fate of a poor fellow creature please pity.
O, rural sojourners, and heave him a sigh,
Ordained to abide in this tropical city
Through all the wild clamors of Fourth of July;
For me shall no greensward or silvery river,
Or shadowy woodland enrapture the view,
But the brick colored cracker, instead shall deliver
Its endless and infamous rat-tat-tat-too!

How pleasant to know that until the day ceases
All round you are deeds being done to dismay;
Little boys rashly blowing themselves into pieces,
Or fingers and eyes being squandered away;
How pleasant to dream of the lake clear as crystal,
The mild mannered cow, or the rich petaled rose,
Then hear the bang, bang of a patriot pistol,
And smell its detestable stench at your nose.

O, wearisome lot, when for rest vainly hunting
You'll readily swear, while your weary head aches,
That your national flag is a mere strip of bunting
And Washington, too, wasn't any "great shakes."
When you're driven to think, in a mode far from blandly,
How certain fine fellows, whom death has made dumb,
Signed away with a flourish, quite gravely and grandly,
The somfort of whole generations to come;

Not to state my opinion in a style too despotic,
I can't but assert that I'd like to know what
One particular portion of love patriotic
Is found in the language of powder and shot,
Or why, when young urchins, like new sorts of heroes,
Would burn up the town with their horrible tricks,
They imagine they honor those dead and gone heroes
Who fought for our old flag in seventy-six.

Nay, joking aside—if by fate it was ordered
That once more on earth this brave veteran band,
In their three-cornered hats and their breeches should bordered,
Their cutaway coats and their perukes should stand,
They would tell us, I fancy, "Care less for your pockets
And more for your country, her rulers, her weal;
Keep her Fourth of July less in crackers and rockets
And more in true loyalty, service and zeal."

HUGH HOWARD.

The Fears of the Fathers.

All that the world now understands by the word America—its democratic institutions, its breadth of personal privilege, its vast political opportunities, its immense material wealth and resources, its historic achievements and the great characters it has given to the world's undying regard—comes from, or is indissolubly associated with, the event which the Fourth of July honors and commemorates.

The declaration of 1776 was not a surprise to many of the colonists, but it outran the thought of most. It was received something as Lincoln's immortal Proclamation of Emancipation was received—with intense enthusiasm by the majority, but with sullen opposition or outspoken protest by a large minority. The new nation did not excite magnificent expectations in any quarter. The eloquent predictions of John Adams were uttered in a moment of great excitement, and were shared by very few of his compatriots. The fathers felt the terrible responsibility laid on their shoulders too heavily to indulge in the luxury of splendid hopes or prophetic dreams. The stern realities of the situation were too urgent and trying; the war they were engaged in with one of the most powerful nations was too unequal and uncertain in its issue to admit of castle building. The long and wasting campaigns waged without resources, and after the early enthusiasm had died away, told on their courage and alienated many and depressed all but the heroic few. The effect of the final victory was heightened by the fact that it was unexpected by most of the people. The adoption of the Federal constitution and the organization of the present national government in 1789-90 awakened no high expectations and elicited no fine predictions of permanent success. It was a work of necessity and was done with more fear than hope. The splendid result that we behold and enjoy and celebrate with so much enthusiasm has come without anticipation.

Fishingcreek Sunday School Convention.

The Sunday schools of Fishingcreek township held their fifth convention at Jonestown M. E. Church on Saturday, June 12. The day was warm and pleasant. The attendance in the forenoon was poor, but in the afternoon it was right good. Most of the schools in the township were represented. The exercises were opened at 10:30 a. m. by music, followed by devotional service conducted by Rev. A. Houtz. Appointment of committees was next in order, after which the topics mentioned in the programme were taken up and ably discussed. Rev. A. Houtz, Rev. A. B. Hooven and Mr. E. M. Laubach did nearly all the talking in the forenoon.

The first topic discussed was "The True Mission of the Sunday School." The assertion was made at the beginning of the discussion that the Sunday school is of no use. This was made merely for argument. It was fully proven during the day that the Sunday school is a very beneficial service. The true mission of the Sunday school is the salvation of the child. It is the duty of the teacher to impress upon the mind of the child the truths embodied in the lesson. Teach the children that they may be converted now. The Sunday school is also the supplement of parental instruction. It is a substitute where families do not give their children religious training. Many parents who are not Christians do not give their children religious training, yet they desire their children to be taught the truths of the Bible. Here the Sunday school steps in and does that which the parents do not do.

Second topic, "What is the Best Method of Conducting a Sunday School?" Nearly all agreed that as good a method as any was to open with singing, then responsive reading, singing, prayer, roll call with repetition of verse from Scripture, followed by teachers taking charge of their classes. Some object to roll call as it takes up too much time. As a rule, not enough time is allotted to the lesson. Teachers should have time enough to get over the lesson. Review lesson every Sunday. Train children to give instead of receive. Should have standard time in a neighborhood and every one try to be on time. Spend fifteen or twenty minutes each Sunday singing and have the children help.

Third topic, "The Essential Qualifications and Duty of the Superintendent and Teacher." The Superintendent should be a man of good moral character. Should also possess executive abilities. He should never get mad or lose control of himself. He should be prompt and punctual if possible. The teacher should possess these qualifications to be a successful teacher and win souls to Christ.

Fourth topic, "How to Retain the Older Scholars in the Sunday School." The question is, why do they not remain in the Sunday school? One reason they outgrow their classes. There should be a class in every Sunday school for grown up pupils. They should be promoted. Provide young men and ladies with thoroughly competent teachers and do not call them children. As soon as a scholar is competent, give him a class or an office and make him feel that the Sunday school is intended for all and not only children. This discussion was followed by singing the doxology and the benediction, after which the convention adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

The afternoon session was opened at 2:00 p. m. by music. This was followed by the enrollment of delegates. Besides the above mentioned speakers, Messrs. Amos Hartman, Frank Jones, Amos Franklin, Wesley Eveland, A. Beishline, Eli Robbins, W. Hosler and E. M. Tewksbury, of Catawissa, took part in the discussions of the afternoon. The topic, "How to Enlist Church Members in the Sunday School Work," was taken up and discussed at great length. Why is it that all the members are not enlisted in the Sunday school work? Pastors should get after them and use the discipline if they do not do their duty as Christians. The man or woman who doe snot take a part in the Sunday school is not a consistent member. A church member means an active worker. Members of the M. E. Church can be disciplined for non-performance of duty. First, get the member's head right. Second, get his heart right. A half sled with a good horse is better than a good sled with a horse that will not pull. So a church member with a head and heart right who is an active member, though he has but few talents, is better than a member with many talents whose head and heart are not right and who is not an active church worker. Get the members warmed up with the love of God. In order to do this the pastor should visit the members. He should preach a sermon on the Sunday school work. Impress on them that it is a part of the church. Write letters to parents inviting them to the Sunday School. Teachers and Superintendent should visit the parents. Make it pleasant for them when they do come. Try to get them interested in the exercises and in this way you can get them enlisted in the work.

Sixth topic, "Duty of Parents in Relation to the Sunday School." They should help their children prepare the lesson during the week and on Sunday get them off in time for Sunday school. They should give the school their sympathy and their moral and financial support. They should talk approvingly of the school. "Duty of Sunday School Scholars." First duty is regularity. Second, study their lesson before attending Sunday school. Third, take their places in class and give close attention to the lesson. Fourth, do mission work.

Eighth topic, "Duty of Teachers to Pray for their Scholars." The teacher should be a conscientious Christian man or woman in order to impart religious training so that it will do good. If he is a true Christian he will be a praying man, for prayer is an essential duty of a Christain. Whenever the pious teacher kneels in prayer he should ask God's blessing on his class. It is just as much important for the teacher to pray for his efforts put forth as it is for a pastor to pray for his efforts.

Ninth topic, "How Should Temperance be taught in the Sunday School." Have one day in every year set aside for temperance. Teachers should bring out of lesson what pertains to temperance, and they should set an example by total abstinence. Impress it on the minds of the pupils and tell them of the evils of intemperance. Have a pledge in the school and have the children to sign it. "Memorizing Scripture in the Sunday School" was next discussed. Children will remember verses they learn in the Sunday school and can recall them in after life. Several of the older persons present said they could remember verses they learned in childhood. It would be good for all, both young and old, to get full of the Scripture.

Eleventh topic, "Benevolence in the Sunday School." Christ inculcated the idea of charity. Lay the foundation of charity in the Sunday school. Would have collection taken up every Sunday but would not have one penny to go to keep up the Sunday school, but for benevolent purposes. The Sunday school should be sustained by other means. Children should be taught to give of their own earnings. Parents should give their children some light work to do in which to earn money. "Rewards in the Sunday School." Pupils should act from principle and not for rewards, especially the older ones. Reach the souls of children through the ladies. We should use rewards to influence little children. A good plan is to give them tickets with Scriptural verses on and have them memorize the verses, and after they have learned the verses let them keep the tickets. For so many tickets give them a card, and for a certain number of cards reward them with a Testament or a Bible.

The last topic discussed was, "Sunday School Picnics and Festivals." The children that were present believe in having picnics, so the Convention thought that was all the argument needed in favor of picnics. As to festivals, some were in favor of them, others were opposed to them. If a festival is conducted right, do not think there is much harm in it. When you run a festival on Saturday night into Sunday you are doing harm. When we give we should give for a cause, but at festival persons spend their money merely to gratify their appetite and not for the benefit of the Sunday school. We should not resort to festivals as a means of raising money for the Sunday school if there is any other way to raise it.

Report of business committee was as follows: The next Convention to be held September 25, at Stillwater M. E. Church. Executive committee: Miss Ella Andrews, Mr Augustus Beishline and Mr. Cyrus Robbins. After the benediction the Convention adjourned to meet at the time and place specified.

O. J. Hess,
Wesley Eveland, } Committee.
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A Russian Princess.

SHE WOULD BE GOOD COMPANY TO HAVE AROUND.

Karoline Baur tells the story of the Princess Natalie Kurakin. She was an imposing and captivating beauty, with the temper of a fiend, and became the most admired and feared woman at the court of the Emperor Alexander. Her husband idolized her, and, unfortunately, allowed her complete control over himself. To indulge her love for pleasure and luxury he went beyond his means, and then sold one estate after another. Once, when he handed her a little packet of bank notes he had won, as a sort of peace offering, Natalie seized them and threw them into the fire, to cure the general, as she said, of club gaming and late hours. Another night, when she was adorned in full splendor for a court ball, the general kept her waiting. At last he came, greatly excited, with a red face and flashing eyes. She supposed the excitement was caused by wine, and told him so in vehement words. "No, dear darling," he protested, "I had the most important business to attend to, concerning yourself and our Alexander. Look at these rouble notes—you will not throw them into the fire." "I will, though!" she exclaimed. And as she spoke she snatched the notes and threw them into the flames. He shrieked in despair, and rushed forward to save them—too late! There was seen a bright blaze, and—— "Natalie," he said, in a hollow voice, "you have destroyed our whole fortune—sixty thousand pounds. I hope, if I should not return alive from the Caucasus, that you may never have a bitter repentance. To-day I received orders from the Emperor's own lips to join the army in the Caucasus to-morrow. In order to secure you and your child's future, I to day sold our last estate to the crown, and everything now is ashes, ashes! General Kurakin, was killed in one of his first engagements in the Caucasus, and Natalie became the most heartless of widows.

About Mr. Gladstone.

HOW THE GREATEST MAN IN EUROPE LOOKS AND ACTS.

His face is broad, noble, all but majestic in its firm lines of vigorous old age. The scanty fringe of scattered gray around chin and cheeks meets the sparse silver locks upon his bald, great head. It is a great head physically—massive, square, broad, angled sharply at the cheek bones and ears; a head which would be chosen by a painter for a statesman's model, but not for that of an actor or artisan or merchant.

It is such a head as a great thinker would have in any domain of pure study. It recalls no other great head unless, around the mouth, Daniel Webster's, across the eyebrows Beethoven's. I have seen him sit absorbed in mere contemplation for a half hour at a time, moving no muscle but the ends of the fingers of both hands, and these move incessantly. When the thinking fit is closed and an action resolved upon, he proceeds to its effectuation with alertness. He is quick in all his movements. A letter is handed him. He tears the cover open rudely, adjusts his glasses, squares the manuscript, sits upright with his legs crossed, and wags one foot in steady rhythm while he reads quickly down the page, turns to the next, and, after following the lines to the end, reflects a moment, lays the sheet across his lap, reflects again, twirls his fingers, reads the whole letter to the end once more, and then carefully folding it, puts it on the table before him. With the eagerness of a boy he takes a folding portfolio off the table, adjusts it upon his knees, dips a long goose quill into the ink at the edge of the table, and writes with rapidity eight or ten lines, then pauses, reflecting over some artful phrase to entice, to reproach, to conceal a thought, to tease, or to entrap. The feather end of the quill is meanwhile sometimes between his teeth. When the shaping of some specific thought is thus labored upon to completion, the pen runs over the paper again speedily, and the finish is made with a little gesture of self-satisfaction, as if, after all, the task were a trifle wearisome, but the effort not without reward.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD.
BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

NORTH.			STATIONS.	SOUTH.		
p.m.	p.m.	a.m		a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
9 00	12 30	8 30	....Scranton....	6 10	9 15	2 05
8 54	12 25	8 26	....Bellevue....	6 15	9 20	2 10
8 48	12 22	8 22	...Taylorville...	6 20	9 26	2 15
8 40	12 15	8 16	...Lackawanna..	6 27	9 34	2 22
8 33	12 08	8 10	....Pittston....	6 34	9 41	2 30
8 27	12 00	8 03	..West Pittston.	6 40	9 47	2 36
8 22	11 58	7 58	....Wyoming....	6 45	9 52	2 41
8 17	11 54	7 54	.....Maltby.....	6 49	9 56	2 44
8 12	11 50	7 50	....Bennett....	6 53	10 00	2 47
8 08	11 47	7 47	....Kingston....	6 58	10 03	2 50
8 08	11 47	7 47	....Kingston....	6 58	10 05	2 50
8 03	11 42	7 42	Plymouth Junc	7 02	10 10	2 55
7 59	11 38	7 38	....Plymouth....	7 07	10 15	3 00
7 54	11 34	7 34	....Avondale....	7 12	10 20	3 06
7 50	11 30	7 30	....Nanticoke...	7 15	10 25	3 10
7 43	11 23	7 23	Hunlock's Creek	7 23	10 32	3 17
7 37	11 17	7 17	...Shickshinny...	7 27	10 44	3 24
7 18	11 00	7 00	...Hick's Ferry...	7 50	11 13	3 52
7 11	10 54	6 54	..Beach Haven..	7 57	11 06	3 58
7 05	10 47	6 47	....Berwick....	8 04	11 18	4 05
6 58	10 41	6 41	...Briar Creek...	8 10	11 23	4 12
6 54	10 38	6 38	...Willow Grove.	8 14	11 25	4 16
6 50	10 34	6 34	....Lime Ridge...	8 18	11 29	4 20
6 42	10 27	6 27	.....Espy.....	8 25	11 36	4 27
6 36	10 21	6 21	...Bloomsburg...	8 30	11 44	4 34
6 30	10 16	6 16	.....Rupert....	8 36	11 50	4 40
6 25	10 11	6 11	Catawi'a Bridge	8 41	11 55	4 46
6 08	9 56	5 56	....Danville....	8 56	12 13	5 03
6 00	9 49	5 49	...Chulasky....	9 05	12 20	5 12
5 55	9 45	5 45	....Cameron....	9 08	12 25	5 17
5 40	9 32	5 32	Northumberland	9 25	12 40	5 35
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.		a.m.	a.m.	p.m

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Pennsylvania Railroad.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division, and Northern Central Railway.

TIME TABLE.

In effect June 15th, 1886. Trains leave Sunbury.

EASTWARD.

9.40 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 6.30 p. m.; Baltimore, 4.40 p. m.; Washington, 5.50 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

1.10 p. m.—Day express daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.50 p. m.; New York, 9.35 p. m.; Baltimore 6.45 p. m.; Washington, 8.00 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

7.45 p. m.—Renovo Accommodation (daily for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4 45 a. m.; New York 7.30 a. m. Baltimore, 5.25 a. m.; Washington 6.30 a. m.; Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Harrisburg for Philadelphia and New York. On Sundays a through sleeping car will be run; on this train from Williamsport to Philadelphia. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

7.50 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Monday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 8.25 a. m. New York, 11.30 a. m.; Baltimore 8.15 a. m.; Washington, 9.25 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.10 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Sunday), for Erie and all intermediate stations and Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through Pullman Palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9.53—News Express (daily except Sunday) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1.00 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane and intermediate stations and Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Watkins.

5.30 p. m. Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

9.20 a. m.—Sunday mail for Renovo and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Sunday mail leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m Harrisburg 7.40 arriving at Sunbury 9.20 a. m. with through sleeping car from Philadelphia to Williamsport.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m. Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury 9.55. a. m.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.30 a. m. (daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury, 1.00 p. m., with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 9.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.50 a. m.; Washington, 9.50 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 5.30 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Erie Mail leaves New York 8.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.30 p. m.; Washington, 10.00 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.30 p. m., (daily except Saturday) arriving at Sunbury 5.10 a. m., with through Pullman Sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia.

SUNBURY, HAZLETON & WILKESBARRE RAILROAD AND NORTH AND WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Daily except sunday.)

Wilkesbarre Mail leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10.52 a. m., Wilkes-barre 12.15 p. m.

Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.28 p. m., Wilkes-barre 7.55 p. m

Sunbury Mail leaves Wilkesbarre 10.40 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 12.06 p. m., Sunbury 12.56 p. m

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 5.45 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4.15 p. m., Sunbury 5.10p.m

SUNDAY ONLY.

Sunday mail leaves Sunbury 9.25 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10.14 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 11.40 a.m.

Sunday accommodation leaves Wilkes-Barre 5.10 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry, 6.44 p. m., Sunbury, 7.40 p. m.

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Tyler's Administration.

AN INTERESTING PIECE OF HISTORY RECALLED.

President Tyler must have passed through the experience of a lifetime during his stay at the White House. He was an accidental President, who reached the chief magistrate's chair through the death of his predecessor. He suffered personal defeat in the disruption of the Harrison cabinet, and in changes in his own cabinet that continued down to the close of his Presidency. His wife, the mother of ten children, died in the White House after a long illness, followed by the death of a member of his cabinet, the lamented Legare. He was scarcely recovered from these calamities and the consequent changes they made in his domestic and official life when, in the first budding of tender love in his widowed heart, the terrible disaster on the Princeton occurred.

The Princeton was a United States vessel lying off Alexandria and commanded by Capt. Stockton. One day in February, a few days after the President's reception at the White House, the captain received orders to make his ship ready for guests. A number of distinguished public officials, with their wives, were invited to spend the day on board, and there were fully four hundred persons on the ship, including a number of Congressmen. The President was in his happiest mood, and paid much attention to the young ladies on board, particularly to the daughters of Mr. Gardiner, who, with their father were guests of the President.

The vessel sailed down the Potomac below Fort Washington, and the company had greatly enjoyed the sail, the music and the occasional firing of the large guns on board, one of which, the Peacemaker, carried a ball of 225 pounds. The elegant collation was over and a number of persons were on deck again, chatting, after the hearty repast they had enjoyed. Many still remained in the dining room. The captain and first-officer were urged to fire the great gun once more. They consented, and when just opposite the port preparations were made. Many persons stood around, the majority of whom were men, to observe the effects.

The gun was fired, and before the smoke had cleared cries and groans filled the air. The gun had burst at a point near the breech, and death and desolation followed. Those killed outright were Mr. Upshur, Secretary of State; Mr. Gil